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In re application of: Hannu VENTOMÄKI

Application No.: 10/814,855

Group No.: 2829

Filed: March 30, 2004

**Examiner: Jimmy NGUYEN** 

For: Method and System for Detecting Electronic Component Failures

Commissioner of Patents Mail Stop **AMENDMENT** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an	amendment for this application.
	STATUS
<ul> <li>2. Applicant is</li> <li>□ a small entity. A state</li> <li>□ is attached.</li> <li>□ was already filed</li> <li>☒ other than a small entities</li> </ul>	01 FC:1251 d.
CERTIFICATE OF MA	AILING/TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a) is, on the date shown below, being:
MAILING  MAILING  deposited with the United States Posts Service with sufficient postage as first- class mail, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.  Date: October 10, 2006	U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

(type or print name of person certifying)

### **EXTENSION OF TERM**

NOTE: "Extension of Time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments) - If a timely and complete response has been filed after a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of December 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. §1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. §1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity	
☑ one month	\$ 120.00	\$ 60.00	
☐ two months	\$ 420.00	\$210.00	
three months	\$ 950.00	\$475.00	
☐ four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00	

Fee: \$ 120.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

extension of time.

(b)

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

An extension for months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
Extension fee due with this request \$120.00
OR
Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility

that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for

## **FEE FOR CLAIMS**

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(	(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY
HIGHEST NO. CLAIMS REMAINING PREVIOUSLY AFTER AMENDMENT PAID FOR			PRESENT EXTRA	ADDIT. RATE FEE <i>OR</i>	ADDIT. RATE FEE		
TOTAL:	19	MINUS	29	=	0	x \$ 9=\$	x \$18=\$
INDEP:	3	MINUS	3	=	0	x \$ 43 = \$	x \$86=\$
☐ FIRST PR	ESENTA	TION OF	MULTIPL	E DEP.	CLAIM	+ \$145 = \$	+ \$290 = \$
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					TOTAL ADDL. FEE \$	TOTAL ADDL. FEE 0.00

WARNING: "After final rejection or action (§1.113) amendments may be made canceling claims or complying with any requirement of form which has been made." 37 C.F.R. §1.116(a) (emphasis added).

(complete (c) or (d), as applicable)

(c) [	X	No	additional	fee	for	claims	is	required.
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OR

## **FEE PAYMENT**

5. 🗵	Attached is a check in the sum of \$  Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$  to Deposit Account No  to credit card as shown on the attached credit card information authorization Form PTO-2038.
WARNING:	Credit card information should not be included on this form as it may become public.
	Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

A duplicate of this request is attached.

#### FEE DEFICIENCY

NOTE:

If there is a fee deficiency and there is no authorization to charge an account, additional fees are necessary to cover the additional time consumed in making up the original deficiency. If the maximum six-month period has expired before the deficiency is noted and corrected, the application is held abandoned. In those instances where authorization to charge is included, processing delays are encountered in returning the papers to the PTO Finance Branch in order to apply these charges prior to action on the cases. Authorization to charge the deposit account for any fee deficiency should be checked. See the Notice of April 7, 1986 (1065 O.G. 31-33).

6. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 23-0442

#### AND/OR

If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Account No. <u>23-0442</u>.

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